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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Lyman Kirkpatrick's Book, Intelligence in a Free Society

- 25X1A9a 1. During the Educational Aid Fund Board Meeting on 14 September 1966, [REDACTED] showed me a letter he had recently received from Lyman Kirkpatrick in which Kirk discussed the book he proposes to publish, Intelligence in a Free Society. I was able to read the letter only very hastily.
- 25X1A9a 2. The gist of the letter was as follows: Kirk said that he had submitted the first draft of his book to the McMillan Publishing Company and that they had called to congratulate him on a great book and say that they indeed want to publish it. He went on to say that the Agency knows about the book because it had been mentioned during his recent appearance on a Washington television program ("Here's Barbara" with Barbara Coleman on Wednesday, 17 August, at 10:30 a.m., Station WMAL). He said that [REDACTED] has a 25X1A9a copy of the manuscript and asked Matt to get this copy from George 25X1A9a [REDACTED] read it, and give him his comments. He said that he intends to ask [REDACTED] to do the same thing. He also said that he does 25X1A9a not want to have the book floating around the Agency just yet. Concerning the content of the book, Kirk said that it is, in fact, the history of CIA--autobiographical in nature.

/s/ L. K. White

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Executive Director-Comptroller

cc: Assistant to the Director
Director of Security

DCI advised of foregoing
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s/LKW